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HELENA, MONT.

By J. E. W. Clarke.

"For truth has such a face and such a mien, as to be loved needs only to be seen."...A telegram received from Mrs. Emma Boxley, who left for Freeport, Ill., on the 7th, reports her safe arrival and finding her brother, Emanuel Standard, very much improved. Mrs. Boxley for the past year has been visiting her son, Judge Hart, and was called to Freeport on account of the serious illness of her brother. Elihu Ried of Athens, Ga., is stopping with his brother, John Ried, of our city. Rev. C. H. Parsons received a telegram from his son, Royal Parsons, giving the encouraging news that he had left the detention camp and is now with Company C. 307th Ammunition Train, Camp Funston. In a telegram from Camp Sherman we are glad to learn that Ad E. Banks has sufficiently recovered to enable his father and mother, who had been called to his bedside, to return to their home in Alabama. Messrs. John Robinson and Charles Brown of St. Paul, Minn., were in the city last week. The Pleasant Hour Club held their meeting at the residence of Mrs. Ida Welsh on Broadway last week. The stereopticon lecture, "Missionary Triumph and Darkest Africa," delivered by Rev. C. H. Parsons at Ebenezer Baptist Church was quite a success. The pictures were good and Rev. Parsons handled the subject in his usual able manner. Mr. Emmet Jones of Spokane was a visitor in the city last week. Mrs. Charles H. Harrell, who has been ill for more than a week is able to be out again. Mrs. Laura Sydney of Townsend was in the city attending the annual sermon of the Household of Ruth. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Houston came in from the bungalow last Sunday. Mr. Houston came to be present at the Annual Sermon of the Odd Fellows. Several members of the Busy Bee Club met at the residence of Mrs. Louise Harrison to sew for the bazaar which is promised for the 29th. On that evening the well known reader, Miss Ruby C. Pettiford, of Salsina, Ohio, will appear for the first time before a Helena audience. Miss Pettiford comes to Helena under the auspices of the Busy Bee Club. The committee consisting of Mesdames Callie C. Matthews, Florence Mason and Mary E. Clarke, arranged the following excellent program for Mothers' Day, which took the place of the regular morning service at St. James A. M. E. Church: Processional, Junior Choir; Prayer, Mrs. Ida Welsh; Scripture Reading, Mrs. A. G. Dorsey; Origin of Mothers' Day, Mrs. M. A. Lowery; Solo, Miss Alice York; Select Reading, Mrs. Ada Gordon; Duet, Mrs. Myrtle Martin and Miss Florence Matthews; Recitation, Mrs. Polite D. Lee; Solo, Miss Emma Dorsey. The collection was lifted by Mesdames Ella Anderson and Florence Mason. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Dorsey gave a small dinner party on the 9th with the following guest present: Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Harrison, Mrs. Sarah Morris, Miss Emma Dorsey and Mr. Robert Brown, Jr. The Annual Sermon of Golden City Lodge was preached by Rev. George F. Martin at St. James A. M. E. Church on the evening of the 12th. The attendance, unusually large, was augmented by the presence of the recently organized Juvenile body along with the Household of Ruth. Rev. Martin was in his usual good form and made a strong appeal for Christian fellowship and brotherhood to occupy a prominent place in fraternal brotherhood. Arthur Palmer, acting as Master of Ceremonies, introduced John Williams, N. G., who delivered an address on Odd Fellowship and Nathaniel Ford read the financial statement. Mrs. Edward Miller read a paper on the Household of Ruth and Mrs. Callie C. Matthews gave the statement on the finances of the Household.

HELENA, MONT.

By J. H. Hillard.

Most Worshipful Grand Master E. H. Homes, Sr., of Washington and Jurisdiction, passed through the city the 9th en route home from Lewistown, Mont., where he organized a lodge of Master Masons (A. F. and A. M.). News reached this city that Mr. Add Banks who left here a short time ago was very ill at the training camp. The Ladies' Aid of the Ebenezer Baptist Church gave an entertainment at Cruse Hall the 8th. Mr. Geo. Christian and sons were visitors to the city the 6th and they had some time with the K. of P. goat. Mr. George Williams and George Robbette will leave in the next draft, the 25th. Mrs. James (Annie) Tolbot after a long and continued illness is up again. Mr. William Gareel has joined the Smoke Eater at the East Helena Smelter. Mr. Chas. Harrell is on the sick list and Mrs. Wm. Gareel is convalescent. Mr. William (Bill) Bonnell is home, again. Golden City No. 3455 and Naomi Household of Ruth held their annual sermon at St. James A. M. E. Church the 12th. Rev. Geo. F. Martin preached their sermon.

ROSEDALE, KANSAS.

By Mrs. Rosa Jones.

The last meeting of the Parent-Teachers Assn., held Friday at the At-tucks school was quite interesting and an excellent program was rendered. The instrumental solos by Mesdames Alona Garner and Elizabeth Gilbert were good as were the vocal solos by

The Pleasant Valley Mission Circle

met at the residence of Mrs. G. W. Schooler Monday afternoon and a very delicious luncheon was served. All services of the Pleasant Valley Baptist Church Sunday were well attended. In the morning one addition. At night an excellent program was rendered, it being Mother's day. The pastor gave a splendid lecture on the "Value of a mother an much inspiration was manifested. Papers read by Mesdames Louis Mosely, J. R. Williams and William Atkinson were full of good thought and interesting. Miss Grace Newman instructor in Domestic Science at the Garrison school gave an interesting talk on the Conservation of food. Rev. J. R. Williams gave a splendid lecture on the Early training of the Child. Rev. Gray made a few remarks on the Child in the Sunday school. Prof. Ruben Brown, Principal and Mrs. S. Reed are grateful to all who assisted in making the meeting a success. Mesdames C. E. Pickens and Victor Smith and baby were the guests of Mrs. John Ralls Tuesday. The funeral of Mrs. Mary Tucker was held from the Pleasant Valley Baptist church of which she has been a member many years Sunday. She leaves a husband, six sons, four daughters and many other relatives. Little Ruben Jackson was seriously injured in the Frisco yards Saturday and both his lower limbs were severed. Mrs. Henrietta Harper, D. G. M. N. G. of Wichita, Kansas, made her annual visit Wednesday to the Busy Bee H. of R. H. 3541 G. U. O. of O. F. She was accompanied by Miss Eva F. Washington who made a splendid talk and Mrs. Letitia Newman who made very opportune remarks. While here she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Young. The Rosedale Busy Bee Lodge and the Busy Bee H. of R. H. held their annual Thanksgiving service at the Pleasant Valley Baptist church and a very interesting program was rendered. Rev. J. R. Williams delivered the sermon.

MARYVILLE, MO.

Mrs. Henry Wilson, Mrs. W. M. Palmer, Miss Pauline Palmer, Mrs. W. A. Mitchell and daughter and Mrs. Ernest O. Boone, Jr., and son went to Blanchard, Ia., last Thursday to witness the graduation of Miss Lola Brown. Miss Brown was the only colored one out of a class of Eight to finish from the Blanchard High School. Mrs. B. F. Smart had a social Thursday night for the benefit of the Baptist church. There was a sociable at the A. M. E. church Thursday. The Christian Endeavor gave a program Sunday night in honor of Mothers' day many good papers were read and Mrs. Josie Chrisman sang a beautiful solo. Mrs. Madie Bell of St. Joe is the house guest in the home of Mrs. J. C. Cooke. The J. G. P.'s a society of young people surprised Prof. and Mrs. Ernest O. Boone, Jr., Tuesday night the evening being spent inating the young folks. Dainty refreshments were served after which the entire club went to the social given at the residence of Mrs. Cooke for the benefit of the Baptist church. Mr. B. F. Smart is on the sick list this week. Dr. E. B. Ramsey of Kansas City, Mo., made a business trip to Maryville. While here he was the guest of Prof. and Mrs. Ernest O. Boone, Jr. The Graduating exercises of Douglass School will be held Monday evening in the High School Auditorium at eight o'clock. The Mount Zion Baptist church will dedicate its reopening Sunday with a rally and program. Mrs. W. A. Mitchell has completed the Red Cross Course and will be one of the instructors in the Lincoln Auxiliary. Mrs. W. M. Palmer spent a few days last week in Clarinda, Ia., with her daughter, Dorothy who is ill. Mrs. M. A. Gooden and Mrs. W. A. Mitchell have worked seventy-two hours in the Red Cross Shop and gained a cross. Mrs. Josie Chrisman is spending a few days in St. Joe.

LINCOLN, NEB.

By W. W. Mosely.

Quarterly Conference was held at the A. M. E. church last Saturday evening. On Sunday quarterly meeting was held during the day. P. E. King was present and conducted services and gave Communion in the afternoon. Mr. P. L. Moore has been appointed as one of the deputy sheriffs of Lancaster county in connection with other duties, under Sheriff L. A. Simmons. Fred A. Johnson, now of Chicago, Ill., spent several days in the city this week visiting his parents and shaking hands with friends. Fred, as we all know, was born and raised in Lincoln, but for business purposes he went to Chicago where he took up the study of embalming and undertaking. Feeling himself efficient he has established the trade and is doing well. Rev. R. R. Powers arrived in the city Sunday and immediately took up his new field at Mt. Zion Baptist church. Quite a crowd of the members and friends greeted him Sunday during the day. Elder Powers preached two soul-stirring sermons and the future outlook of the church is bright. Adam Lov-ing has accepted a position at the Federal building. Next Sunday will be baptizing at the Mt. Zion Baptist church, also daily day. Mother's day was well observed here; quite a number of persons wore flowers in

WARRENSBURG, MO.

Sunday was observed as Mother's Day at the Warrensburg M. E. church. At 11 A. M. Rev. Rolan delivered a wonderful sermon. At 3 P. M. Mother's Day program was rendered with all of the aged Mothers seated on the rostrum. Rev. Rolan was assisted by the pastors of the city and friends. All services were well attended. Rev. and Mrs. McPike returned home from Centerville Monday at 10 A. M. Tuesday night class and prayer meeting were well attended. On May 14th Mrs. Harrington celebrated her 61st Anniversary and royally entertained 48 guests. The guests departed at 12 o'clock, declaring Mrs. Harrington a delightful hostess and wishing many more birthdays. Mrs. McPike entertained the Inter-Denominational Y. W. B. C. at the A. M. E. parsonage on May 14 at 3 P. M., a large number being present. Mrs. G. Woods, of this city, departed this life May 15th at 6 A. M. We, the residents of this city, extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family.

WEIR, KANS.

Mother's Day Sunday was observed at the A. M. E. church. Many wore the White rose also the red was worn by many. A splendid program was rendered by the young folks Sunday night. A beautiful solo was sang by Mrs. Anderson Dillard, "Tell Mother I Will Be There" brought tears to the eyes of many and was appreciated by all. The Jubilee song sung by the choir was a new feature, "It's Me Oh Lord." Mrs. H. H. Dent, wife of our new pastor, is with us. The parsonage is being repaired and will be soon occupied by the pastor and wife, who are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Dillard. Mr. Jack Stewart is very sick of pneumonia. Mrs. Mattie Willis, who visited with her daughter and son-in-law, returned to her home last week and was much esteemed by the many friends, which she made.

NEWTON, KANS.

Mr. Joseph Rickman died at his home April 3 at age of 68. Mrs. Mattie Ridley and Mrs. Ed Johnson shopped in Wichita Friday. Mr. Harvey Young took dinner at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mattie Ridley. Sergeant Oscar Rickman was called home from Camp Funston because of the death of his father. C. M. E. church observed Mother's Day Sunday, May 12. Mr. Harvey Young had the misfortune to burn the back of his hand quite badly. The Ladies of Holsey Chapel C. M. E. church are beautifying the church. Mrs. Lizzie Dickinson is on the sick list. Almond Chapter O. E. S. has purchased \$25.00 worth of War Savings Stamps.

OMAHA, NEBR.

Sunday, for the first time in the history of St. John, was set aside exclusively for women. In the morning a short but very excellent and intelligent program was rendered. Previous to the most excellent sermon on "Love" by Mrs. Susie Glover. In the evening a program, unequalled in any Metropolitan City was also rendered by the women. The papers, addresses and songs appealed to the emotions of the whole audience. The collection for the day was \$225.50. Next Sunday will be "Men's Day." Mrs. Florine Pinkston, of New England Conservatory, will give a recital Tuesday evening at the Y. M. C. A., under the auspices of St. Phillips church. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Williams and son, Dr. Robert Williams Tuesday at six o'clock dinner. After which they will occupy a box at the Pinkston recital.

HOSTESS HOUSE.

The building of the new Hostess House for the use of the 92nd Division at Camp Funston is being pushed as rapidly as possible and is expected to be ready for occupancy within a month. These houses are financed by and under the direct control of the War Work Council of the Y. W. C. A. They are designed to provide reception, refreshment, rest, shelter and protection to the women relatives and friends of the officers and men in Camp.

They are not intended to provide recreation for the soldier, whose amusements are in the hands of the Y. M. C. A., the Knights of Columbus and the Commission on Training Camp activities, but the men are welcome; even when not accompanied by their relatives and have free use of the living rooms and cafeteria. The House will be in charge of a staff of three workers, who have been trained at Camp Upton, Long Island, where the first Hostess House for the 92nd Division was opened.

COLORED MAN SUES PULLMAN

CO. FOR REFUSAL OF BERTH. New York, May 9.—Thomas E. Schumacher, of 150 Nassau street, a Negro, brought a \$10,000.00 suit against the Pullman company in the Supreme Court Saturday, alleging he had been discriminated against because of his color. Schumacher says he bought a ticket from Kansas City to Chicago on March 16, over the Santa Fe Railroad. He entered a sleeping car, he says, and was refused accommodations, but was refused, assaulted and thrown out. He asks \$5,000 for the refusal to give him a berth, and \$5,000 more for the alleged assault.

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